



# Historical Fiction

Do you love reading about past decades and centuries? Do you wish you could experience older traditions and see the world how it used to be? Whether using time travel or being firmly rooted in the past, this list will jumpstart your historical adventure! These books are for a variety of age groups.

(E CAS) [Bluebonnet series](#) by Mary Brooke Casad

Bluebonnet the armadillo visits important historical places in Texas and learns about their history.

(E MUL) [Larry Gets Lost series](#) by Michael Mullin

Larry visits different cities with his owner Pete and usually finds himself lost. When he finally reunites with Pete at the end of the books, he's learned quite a bit about the place he is visiting.

(J-M CAPECI) [Cascade Mountain Railroad Mysteries](#) by Anne Capeci

Ten-year-old Billy, his best friend Finn, and a girl named Dannie, living in a 1920s camp of railroad workers in the Cascade Mountains, follow clues. These books have author's notes in the back and several illustrated pages in the back that contain historical information and notes.

(J-F CUATE) [Mr. Barrington's Mysterious Trunk series](#) by Melodie A. Cuate

Become a part of Texas history by traveling back in time to The Alamo, Goliad, and more with help from Mr. Barrington's Mysterious Trunk.

(J-F HIGGINS) [Waiting for the Queen: A Novel of Early America](#) by Joanna Higgins

A book told from the perspectives of Eugenie, who has just arrived in Pennsylvania after escaping the French Revolution, and Hannah, a Quaker who is helping Eugenie's family to help support her own.

(J-F HORENDER) [Patriotic Mouse: Boston Tea Party Participant](#) by Philip M. Horender

In an attempt to save his family's oak tree home, Maximilian uses Nathaniel Chip-

munk's time machine to try and prevent Farmer Tanner from selling the property to a developer, but finds himself more than two centuries in the past, in the middle of the Boston Tea Party, instead.

(J-F HUNT)     [Across Five Aprils](#) by Irene Hunt

Young Jethro Creighton grows from a boy to a man when he is left to take care of the family farm in Illinois during the difficult years of the Civil War. A Newbery Honor Book.

(EBOOK)     [Charlotte series](#) by Joan Knight

Follow Charlotte on her artistic adventures through her journal recordings.

(J-M LAWRENCE) [P.K. Pinkerton mysteries](#) by Caroline Lawrence

Follow P.K. Pinkerton as he solves mysteries in old Nevada territory.

(J-F MORPURGO) [An Elephant in the Garden](#) and other books by Michael Morpurgo

A family tries to save a baby elephant in Germany during World War II, increasing danger to their journey when they try to flee.

(J-F MOSS)     [Mira's Diary series](#) by Marissa Moss

Travel with Mira as she searches for her mother in the past and meets famous painters and other people.

(J-F OSBORNE) [Magic Tree House series](#) by Mary Pope Osborne

A magic tree house transports Jack and Annie back to times both historical and fantasy.

(J-F STONE)     [Dinosaur Cove series](#) by Rex Stone

Tom and Jamie use a secret entrance to travel to Prehistoric times and meet dinosaurs.

(J-F TARSHIS) [I Survived series](#) by Lauren Tarshis

Go back in time to major events in history and read along as characters go through life-changing events.

(SERIES)     [Dear America series](#) by Various Authors

A series of diaries written by young girls living in different times and places.